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In re Application of

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DECISION ON PETITION
TO WITHDRAW
FROM RECORD

This is a decision on the Request to Withdraw as attorney or agent of record under 37 C.F.R. § 1.36(b) filed January 5, 2007.

The request is **NOT APPROVED**.

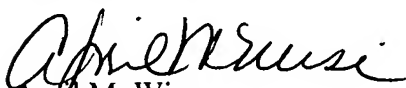
A grantable request to withdraw as attorney/agent of record must be signed by every attorney/agent seeking to withdraw or contain a clear indication that one attorney is signing on behalf of another/others. A request to withdraw will not be approved unless at least 30 (thirty) days would remain between the date of approval and the later of the expiration date of a time to file a response or the expiration date of the maximum time period which can be extended under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).

In addition the withdrawal cannot be approved because the attorneys of record wish to withdraw by customer number. The listed attorneys were not appointed by customer and therefor cannot be approved to withdraw by customer number.

There is an outstanding Office action mailed January 23, 2007 that requires a response from applicant.

All future communications from the Office will continue to be directed to the above-listed address until otherwise notified by applicant.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to undersigned at 571-272-1642.


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